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SUBJECT:CIVAIR: HUGHES AIRWEST AIR FARES

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CLAPPIN TELECONS 6/23 ; (D) OTTAWA 03322

1. DEPARTMENT FINDS ATC ACTION ON HUGHES AIRWEST FARES PACKAGE AND PROPOSED TIMETABLE FOR CONSULATTIONS TO BE UNSATISFACTORY. NET RESULT OF ATC ACTION WILL BE TO DENY USG OPPORTUNITY FOR MEANINGFUL CONSULTATIONS RE THESE FARES UNTIL SUMMER SEASON VIRTUALLY OVER. CONSULTATIONS WERE REQUESTED REF A ON 6/10; FOR GOC TO RESPOND THAT CONSULTATIONS COULD NOT BE HELD UNTIL LATE AUGUST, 2 1/2 MONTHS AFTER REQUEST, IS NOT WHAT WE WOULD DEFINE AS TIMELY CONSULTATIONS WITHIN THE SCOPE OF ARTICLE 13 OF THE BILATERAL.

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2. NONETHELESS, USG PREPARED CONSULT LATTER PART OF AUGUST WITH GOC, AND PROPOSES WEEK BEGINNING AUGUST 28. HOWEVER, IN THE INTERESTS OF EQUITY, USG BELIEVES THAT GOC SHOULD ALLOW PROPOSED HUGHES AIRWEST FARES PACKAGE TO COME INTO EFFECT ON A PROVISIONAL BASIS. SUCH ACTION WOULD OF COURSE BE WITHOUT PREJUDICE TO ULTIMATE RIGHT OF GOC TO REJECT THESE FARES SHOULD AGREEMENT NOT BE REACHED DURING

THE CONSULTATIONS.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: EMBASSY REQUESTED PASS PROPOSAL
FOR CONSULTATIONS AND FOR PROVISIONAL ACCEPTANCE OF
HUGHES AIRWEST AIR FARES TO GOC AND REPORT RESPONSE
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